



OUR LADY OF SORROWS

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Monday - Friday
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULE
Daily
Monday - Saturday
7:00 AM

Weekend
Saturday (anticipatory)
5:00 PM
Sunday
7:00 AM & 9:00 AM

Ilocano Mass
Last Sunday at 5:00 PM

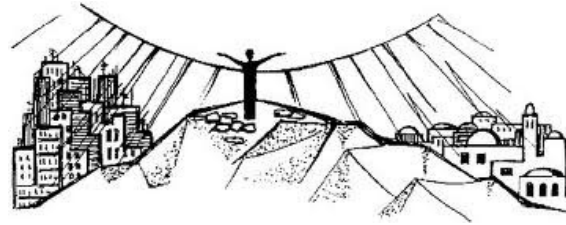
RECONCILIATION
Saturday at 4:00 PM
or anytime by appointment

Mission Established
1928

Parish Established
1939

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Weekend of March 4-5, 2017



A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

On this First Sunday of Lent, it seems appropriate that all the readings reflect in some way on the issue of temptation. We are familiar with perhaps the most common prayer, the *Our Father*, in which we ask God to “lead us not into temptation.”

In the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, it is interesting to note that #2846 tells us “It is difficult to translate the Greek verb used for ‘lead us’ into a single English word. The original Greek word means both ‘do not allow us to enter into temptation’ and ‘do not let us yield to temptation.’ Sins come from consenting to temptation.”

For our Lenten missions, the issue of “temptation” would seem to have numerous facets which should influence us. Clearly we need to pray, and often, for God’s help as we try to avoid sin, and attempt to change our lives during this time. Also, we must consider the importance of recognizing and confessing our sins in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. These should be part of our Lenten plans; living lives of stewardship might help us continue these efforts beyond Lent and throughout our lives.

Archbishop Fulton Sheen, the late and great Catholic Evangelist and television personality, devoted entire programs to temptation. On one, as he considered Lent a time to seek truth as an endeavor to resist temptation, he said, “It is easy to find truth; it is hard to face it; and harder still to follow it.”



The Health Ministry invites you to our next blood pressure screening on **March 12** following the 7 AM and 9 AM Masses on the lanai. For more info contact our co-coordinators Herald Fernandez, Tina Fernandez or Mary Talon.

OLS Health Ministry would like to invite you to attend a special session on **Advanced Directives** on **March 19 @ 10:30 AM** in the church, following the 9 AM Mass. Guest speaker Michelle Cantillo, RN and Advance Care Planning Coordinator from Hawaii Pacific Health will be providing information on Advance Care Planning & Directives, and POLST. There will be a sign up sheet on the lanai following all Masses.

Fr. Ajith will be on vacation from March 3-30. We welcome Fr. Ramon Francisco who will be celebrating our Masses and covering the hospital ministry.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Mar 4 (Sat) 1st Sunday of Lent**
- Mar 5 (Sun) 1st Sunday of Lent**
10:30am RE classes
10:30am Parent 1st Communion Class (PH)
- Mar 6 (Mon) Lenten Weekday**
6:30pm Middle School Ministry (Lib)
7:00pm EPIC Young Adult Mardi Gras (PH)
- Mar 7 (Tue) Sts Perpetua & Felicity**
7:00pm Health Ministry Mtg (PH)
7:00pm Adult Bible Study (Lib)
- Mar 8 (Wed) St John of God**
10:00am CO Vicariate Priest Vicariate Mtg
- Mar 9 (Thu) St Frances of Rome**
9:00am Craft Guild (PH)
10:00am Charismatic Prayer Group (Lib)
7:00pm Knights of Columbus Mtg (PH)
- Mar 10 (Fri) Lenten Weekday**
11:45am +Carl Caraulia Funeral Svc (MMP)
7:00pm Stations of the Cross
- Mar 11 (Sat) Lenten Weekday**
St Joseph Novena begins
- Mar 12 (Sun) 2nd Sunday of Lent**
10:30am RE classes
10:30am Parent 1st Communion Class (PH)
1:00pm Altar Society Mtg (PH)

*OLS = Our Lady of Sorrows / CH = Church / PH = Parish Hall / Lib = Library / Sch = School
MMP = Mililani Mortuary Park / WGH = Wahiawa General Hospital

OBITUARY: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



- +Mariano (Carl) Caraulia**
Mar. 10 11:45am Funeral Svc – MMP
- +Marina Evangelista**
Mar. 15 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP
Mar. 16 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS
- +Mildred Nacapuy**
Mar. 18 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS
- +Aurelio Moises**
Mar. 29 11:45am Funeral Svc – MMP
- +Pacita "Pat" Tolentino**
Apr. 3 10:15am Funeral Svc – MMP

Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary

1st Annual

Seminarian Education Fundraiser

Saturday, April 29, 2017

Mass-10:00 AM Lunch-11:00 AM

St. Ann Church & Model Schools

There are two seminarians from Hawaii. Tickets on sale this weekend following all the Masses. A bus will be provided if there is enough interest. For more info contact Tony Espiritu at 621-7275.



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Violet]

Genesis 2:7-9; 3: 1-7

She took some of its fruit and ate it; and she also gave some to her husband who was with her.

Romans 5:12-19

Through the obedience of the one, the many will be made righteous.

Matthew 4:1-11

At that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Violet]

Genesis 12:1-4a · 2 Timothy 1:8b-10 · Matthew 17:1-9

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend of February 24-25, 2017

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$4,664.17
SS.CC. Retirement Fund	20.00

MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Blessings	30.00
Property Insurance	15.00

OTHERS

Candles	298.10
FIF Pledge Payments	1,245.00

Mahalo for your generosity!

Offertory Envelopes: Please call the bookkeeper at 621-5109 ext. 9720 if you are in need of a new box.

SOCIAL MINISTRY UPDATE

375 lbs. collected

68 bags distributed to 157 adults & 65 children

The food pantry has a good supply of rice and canned meats at this time. We are in need of the following items:



Food Pantry
Donations Needed

Canned Fruit

Canned Green Vegetables

Canned Corn/Peas

Canned Soup

Pork and Beans/Kidney Beans

Canned spaghetti, spaghetti o's,
stew, chili or other similar canned meals

Macaroni and Cheese

You may bring these or any other non-perishable food items to any of our Masses or to the parish office.

Mahalo for your generosity!

The food pantry would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for helping with the cleaning of the pantry.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Shirley Caban, Religious Education Coordinator

March 5 & 12—MANDATORY Parent class for children preparing for 1st Communion. Class starts at 10:30 AM in the parish hall.



People of the Passion

March 7-April 11, 2017
(Tuesday evenings)

7:00 PM ~ Parish Library

Learn about the many people who played roles in Jesus' suffering and death: Peter, Pilate, Simon of Cyrene, the daughters of Jerusalem, and more. Discover insights from their experiences and what it all means for us today. Cost for book: \$10. To register or for more info call Shirley at 621-5109 ext. 9723.



Fridays of Lent
7:00 pm

The Knights of Columbus will once again sponsor a Cook-out & Fellowship at the Parish Hall after the Stations of the Cross.



Donation: \$6.00

Living Catholic in the 808

Getting into the Rice Bowl Habit

By: Kristina M. DeNeve Adult Faith Formation Coordinator Diocese Of Honolulu

First, if you haven't already, download the app by searching "CRS Rice Bowl." (There is no better way to get into the habit than this resource, provided to us by our very own conference of U.S. Catholic Bishops.)

Next, allow notifications so you are reminded daily to read and reflect on the short daily prayer available in the "Pray" section. Start or end your day by praying these short daily prayers!

Set a time on Sundays (or Mondays) to watch the Story of Hope. It's right there on your app in the "Videos" section!

If you decide to give something up for Lent, like malasadas, enter that sacrifice into the app. Go to "Give" from the Main Menu and then select "Today's Sacrifice." From there you can add the cost of whatever you are giving up. If you want, you can then pledge that money to Rice Bowl. You can even "Donate Now" to give a little each day – each time you sacrifice!

Like to cook? The "Recipes" section of the app provides you with a meatless meal you can make each week, inspired by the family from the Story of Hope.

Finally, go 'old school' by placing the cardboard rice bowl where your ohana eats (or in your car if you have a long commute) and PRAY, FAST, and GIVE together!

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Carmen Adams
Groundskeeper

Bridgette Bennett
Chairperson, Pastoral Council

Jack Kampfer
Chairperson, Finance Committee

MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Sorrows Church is a Catholic, faith-filled community united and founded on the teachings and love of Jesus Christ to serve the needs of all parishioners and, through its ministries, to foster and nurture their growth in faith.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church believes in stewardship as a way of Christian living. As stewards, it is our responsibility to give back to God the best that He has given us, by giving of our time, talent and treasure.

As a unified and welcoming parish of the Universal Church, we reach out to all of God's people through education, through social action, through worship and through proclaiming and living the Gospel of Jesus Christ.